

**EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
ART GROUP 1791**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

APPLICANT: Winberger-Friedl, R.      CONFIRMATION NO.: 1760  
SERIAL NO.: 10/582, 578      EXAMINER: Schiffman, B.A.  
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**FOR: A PROCESS FOR THE FABRICATION OF OPTICAL  
MICROSTRUCTURES**

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated October 14, 2009, the Applicant hereby submits this paper within two (2) months, until **December 14, 2009**, of the mailing date of the Office Action, and requests amendment of the above-identified application as follows wherein:

**Amendments** made to the Claims begin on page 2; and

**Remarks** begin on page 5.

As this paper is being filed within two (2) months of the mailing date of the instant Office Action, applicant respectfully requests that the entry of this paper into the record be expedited to allow the Examiner sufficient time to review the arguments presented herein within the statutory time period.